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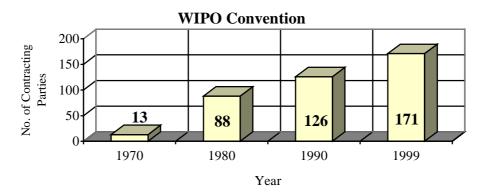
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### INFORMATION NOTE ON PARTIES TO WIPO ADMINISTERED TREATIES AS OF SEPTEMBER 1, 1999

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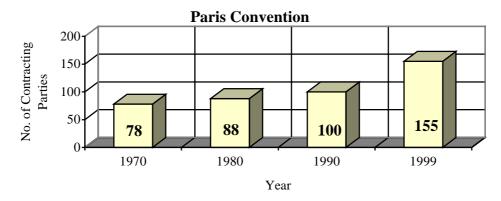
1. The present document provides information on accessions to and ratifications of treaties administered by the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) from January 1, 1970, to September 1, 1999.

#### (i) Convention Establishing the World Intellectual Property Organization (1967)



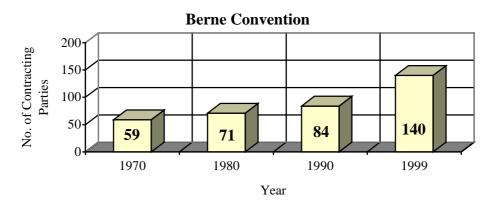
New adherences since September 1, 1998: None.

#### (ii) Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property (1883)



New adherences since September 1, 1998: Dominica, Ecuador, India, Iran (Islamic Republic of)<sup>1</sup>, Oman, Papua New Guinea (6).

#### (iii) Berne Convention for the Protection of Literary and Artistic Works (1886)

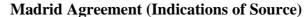


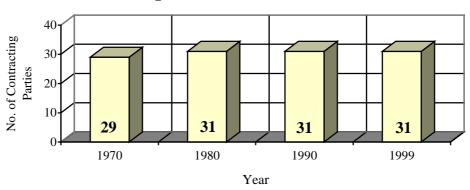
New adherences since September 1, 1998: Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Belgium<sup>2</sup>, Dominica, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Liechtenstein<sup>2</sup>, Oman, Singapore, Swaziland (11).

The Islamic Republic of Iran, which was already a member of the Paris Union, became party to the Stockholm Act of the Paris Convention.

Belgium and Liechtenstein, which were already members of the Berne Union, became parties to the Paris Act of the Berne Convention.

(iv) Madrid Agreement for the Repression of False or Deceptive Indications of Source on Goods (1891)





New adherences since September 1, 1998: None.

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1970

No. of Contracting

**Parties** 

Madrid Agreement Concerning the International Registration of Marks (1891) and Protocol Relating to the Madrid Agreement Concerning the International Registration of Marks (1989)

**Madrid Agreement (Marks)** 60 45 30

Year

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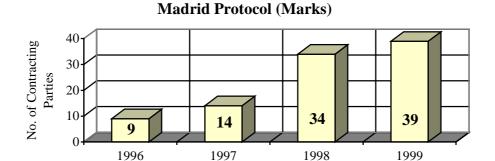
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New adherences since September 1, 1998: Lesotho, Swaziland (2).

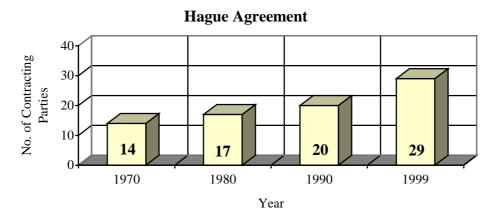
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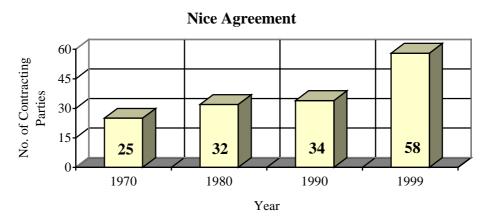
New adherences since September 1, 1998: Austria, Lesotho, Morocco, Swaziland, Turkey, Turkmenistan (6).

(vi) Hague Agreement Concerning the International Deposit of Industrial Designs (1925)



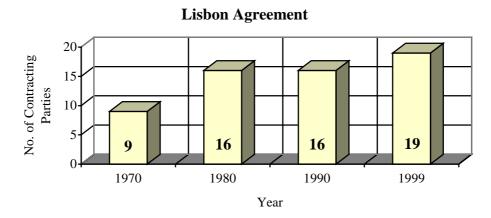
New adherences since September 1, 1998: None.

(vii) Nice Agreement Concerning the International Classification of Goods and Services for the Purposes of the Registration of Marks (1957)



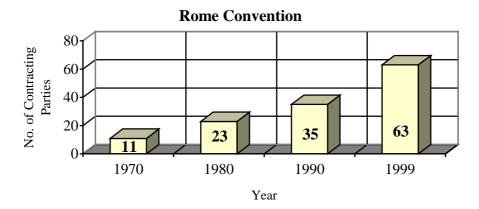
<u>New adherences since September 1, 1998</u>: Kyrgyzstan, Republic of Korea, Singapore (3).

(viii) Lisbon Agreement for the Protection of Appellations of Origin and their International Registration (1958)



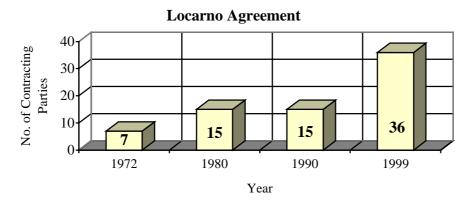
New adherences since September 1, 1998: Yugoslavia (1).

(ix) International Convention for the Protection of Performers, Producers of Phonograms and Broadcasting Organisations (1961)



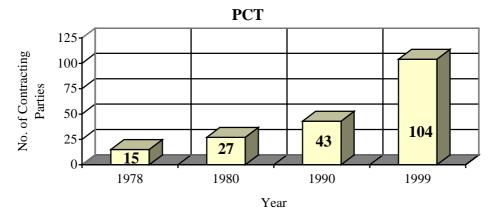
<u>New adherences since September 1, 1998</u>: Belgium, Dominica, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Romania (6).

(x) Locarno Agreement Establishing an International Classification for Industrial Designs (1968)



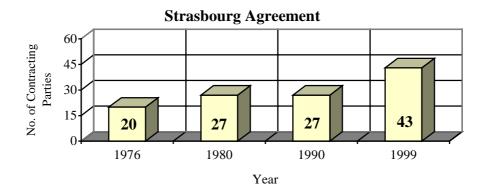
New adherences since September 1, 1998: Greece, Kyrgyzstan (2).

(xi) Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT) (1970)



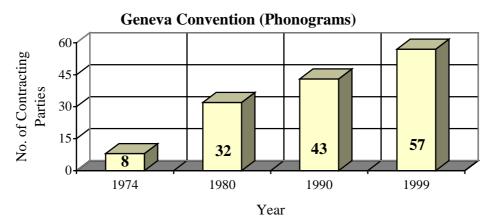
<u>New adherences since September 1, 1998</u>: Costa Rica, Dominica, India, Morocco, South Africa, United Arab Emirates, United Republic of Tanzania (7).

(xii) Strasbourg Agreement Concerning the International Patent Classification (1971)



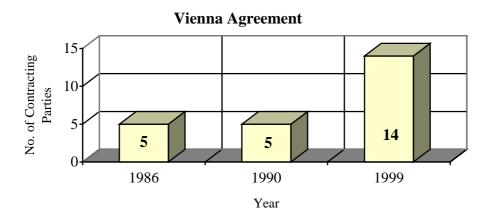
New adherences since September 1, 1998: Kyrgyzstan, Republic of Korea (2).

(xiii) Convention for the Protection of Producers of Phonograms Against Unauthorized Duplication of Their Phonograms (1971)



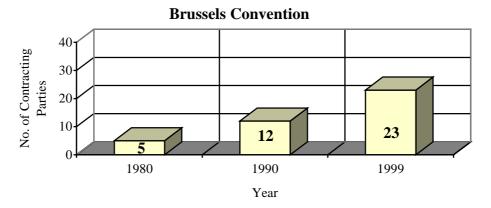
New adherences since September 1, 1998: None.

(xiv) Vienna Agreement Establishing an International Classification of the Figurative Elements of Marks (1973)



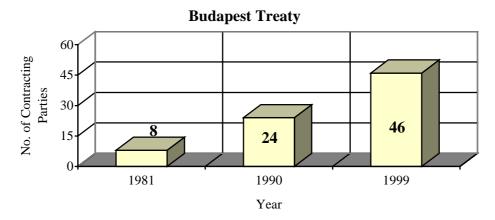
New adherences since September 1, 1998: Austria, Kyrgyzstan (2).

(xv) Convention Relating to the Distribution of Programme-Carrying Signals Transmitted by Satellite (1974)



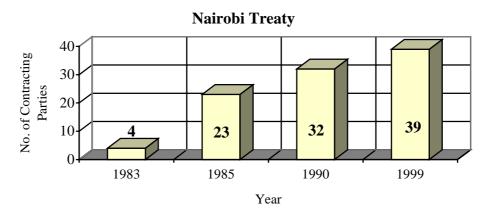
New adherences since September 1, 1998: Costa Rica (1).

(xvi) Budapest Treaty on the International Recognition of the Deposit of Microorganisms for the Purposes of Patent Procedure (1977)



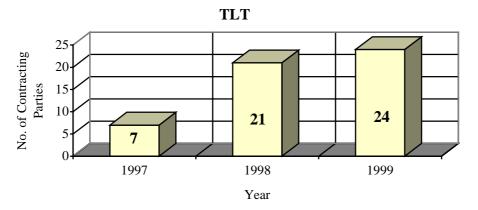
New adherences since September 1, 1998: Monaco, Romania (2).

(xvii) Nairobi Treaty on the Protection of the Olympic Symbol (1981)



New adherences since September 1, 1998: Ukraine (1).

## (xviii) Trademark Law Treaty (1994)



New adherences since September 1, 1998: Egypt, Ireland, Spain (3).

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